

Rev. Sheldon Acknowledges the Corn.

Rev. C. M. Sheldon, having resumably spent the profits gathered from his late famous adventure, and having artribution from his pen, captioned: "How Greed for Money is Undermining Our Life." Yes, indeed it is, my dear sir, and we are gratified to know that the Rev. Mr. Sheldon, the sake of what there might be in it, has opened his eyes at last to the dangers which lurk in this "greed for money." While it stimulates invention and gives rise to innumerable and unlooked for enterprise-such as, for instance, the running of a daily newspaper in the name of the world's Redeemer-and results in vast production, still with remorseles machinery, which in being lubricated by money is the root of all evil," a fact that Sheldon could have found out without going all the way to London, and sideshow, for the money or name there might be found in Bryan might have brought an unanswerable indictment such a venture. This same "greed," the evils growing out of which the Rev. Sheldon seems to have discovered as being at the bottom of the whisley traffic in London is also at the bottom of the unholy war being waged by Eng. tom of very many of the more infamous and offensive wrongs of the world. It is this "greed" which demands the partition of China. In short, we would like to preach a sermon on this "greed" to a congregation wholly made up of preachers, prelates and doctors of divinity.

### What are They Kicking About, Anyway?

New England evidently needs reconstruction. Some of her leaders have grown cranky and as irreconcliable Boutwell for nominating Tom Reed and a lot of others who did not know what they wanted. They are b ut a lot of silver. malcontents, against everybody and everything, and for no definite conceivable policy. What they may finally come together on the dispatches of this morning will no doubt tell, but it can be safely set down that the mountain will They have stood by their teachers with noble fortitude bring forth no more than a crazy mouse

The most unreasonable thing in all this disgruntled clatter is the unwarranted criticism of the McKinley ad-Philippines; we are guiding Cuba along the path to indehave got men; the blood of youth is in our veins and the Chinese almanac, commerce of the world will be ours. China will be coned; we have triumphed over great difficulties in the past, while no one has yet come beneath the flag except to bless it, and the people wherever it waves today, in decision as to which is the paramount issue. Very annoythe far East, will bless it, too, even as we and our chil- logly the Republicans keep on talking about prosperity, dren have from the beginning,

## Peffer the Politician and Prophet.

Wm. A. Peffer, who is the father of Populism in Kansas out in a strong paper in the current number of h American Review not only advocating expanJeffersonian imperialism. From the facts of histhe record, he proves Jefferson to have been the tory, and the record, he proves Jefferson to have been the

Peffer in for McKinley's re-election and he is going to Petter is for McKinley's re-election and he is going to and insisted that the Boxer troubles had aroused and solid-take the stump against Bryan, socialism and Democratic filed the Chinose people, if he can borrow the tub and find He is out in a long article giving his reasons for

Kinley," said Senator Peffer today. "Here are my reasons: the people would have suspected treachery. In the first place, after vehemently urging on a war with Spain and after an unbroken series of victories of our arms. on sea and land; after an energetic and successful conduct of the war and an able and patriotic management of the come in at the right moment, affairs of government and a brilliant handling of our forels relations, adding glory and prestige to our people and terminating in a treaty placing us at the right of the front rank of the nations of the earth, with new and grave responsibilities attaching-after all these aplended achieve ments, the Democratic party, sided by its fusion allies, has raised a bue and cry, charging all sorts of public crimes changed supreme court, civil service, no expansion and as against the administration—deposite use of power, fraud. Som as they think of it the return to Mexico of Arabina, corruption, perfidy-calling on the nations to behold our national shame, and beseathing their own countrymen to mig-

"I look on this bearen assault on the honor of the Re- was a copperhead. public at little less than treason, and the success of the Republican party alone can prevent the attainment of the and sought by the unholy alliance. If there were no other reasons, this alone would insure my vote for the Republican a buffalo wallow, candidate for the presidency.

## William's Evident Plan.

The emperor of Germany evidently believes that he is consent, going to have a long and ordinous task in the Par East. The fact that he is about to send a marshal of the empire to the Far East to command the German forces indicate that he will dispatch more troops from time to time and that he will continue the war against the Chinese until he not only punishes them for assassinating his ambassadue, but also secures the addition of territory he has long coveted in that part of the earth. Germany is about to enter a war which will become a land-grabbing enterprise before It is over. The emperor, under the pretense of punishing the murderers of the ambassador, under the pretense of providing protection for the missionaries of the Christian providing protection for the missionaries of the Christian Chaffee finally got that move on and skated up under religion, will carry on a war which will permit them to the walls of Pekin almost before the world knew it

considered desirable acquisitions, and valuable markets for

The French believe that the emperor of Germany intends to plant a force in China and keep it there as long as it suits his purpose. The French believe that he has a It may be remarked that the Germans themselves think they see something in the emperor's policy which he has not revealed to them. The fact that prices on the bourse declined perceptibly as soon as it was known that Count Von Waldersee had been appointed to supreme command of the German forces in China indicate what the financiers and business men of Berlin think of the matter. They be Heve that there is a scheme of conquest back of all the high-sounding declarations made by the emperor and his

### A Woman Answers Bryan.

Sarah B. Harris, of the Nebraska State Federation of Women's clubs, comes back at Bryan with the truism that "this government exists by the consent of less than one fifth of the governed." She adds the following:

"If Admiral Dewey had sailed out of Manila Bay after destroying the Spanish ships, he would have done what the anti-imperialists say this government should have ordered him to do. Then there would have been an Oriental slaughter of Spanish residents, combatants and noncom batants, and the United States would have been the mock of history. When one government is destroyed either anarchy or another government will take its place. Had Admiral Dewey left the peaceful inhabitants of Luzon to the original cruelty of Aguinaldo and his followers, Mr. against President McKinley's administration."

### Buffalo's Increased Population.

Buffalo's population, according to the official returns he census enumerator, is 352,219, which is an increase of 96,655, or 37.77 per cent over the figures of the census of the decade from 1880 to 1890, but the actual increase in opulation was only about 4,900 less, the percentage be

The Buffalo figures are the best showing made thus far by the twelfth census, that of Milwaukee coming next with an increase of 80.847, which, however, yielded a higher per-

## A Needed Explanation.

William J. Bryan has consented to make an explanaon of his mysterious silence on the subject of free silver in his Indianapolis speech. Mr. Bryan says that he dwelt at length upon the paramount issue, that he believes im perialism is a subject of vital importance to the people of this country, that it means the defeat of the Republicans at the coming election, that, as the standard-bearer of the Democrats, he could not give undue importance to other topics. It is peculiar, to say the least, to hear William J. Bryan declare that any issue can be paramount to free

### The Native Chinese Christian.

The converts of the Christian missionaries have mani fested much courage and devotion in the Chinese crisis With anything like equality of numbers they would hold their own well. These facts show that the Chinese would do much better in war if they had their powers stirred to full efficiency by the impulse of a new and vital faith, or a great consciousness of something worth while to fight for It is another hint at Chinese possibilities.

## The Emperor an Octopus.

The Chinese almanac is the monopoly of the emperor. none other being allowed within his dominions. No China Ports Rico a government; we are restoring order in the as to lucky and unlucky days which it contains. As the estimated population of China is something like 400,000,000 souls, it will be seen that, if ever a monopoly ng, it is that which the emperor exercises upon the

## The Old Thing Won't Work,

"It looks as if the Republicans were not going to be accommodating enough to accept the Democratic platform's honest money and other things which the Democratic managers desire to ignore. There never was much accommodation in politics, however," remarks the Kansas City Journal.

The United States now offers to let China compromise and who represented and pressed the Populistic theories by permitting a small body of troops to enter Pekin to es-

> the Democratic party with trying to debase the currency and threatening the integrity of the Judiciary; the Repub-lican party with violating the Declaration of Independence. "Goodbye, eld parties, goodbye," And in New England! .

The man who was "intimately acquainted with China" he water, should go sonk his head. The Chinese people do not know what resistance is.

In the liattle of Yang Tsun the British and Russians shelled the American troops by mistake. We have beome used to war. Five years ago if this had happened

Joe Wheeler saved the life of Bryan's boy at Chicago the other day by rescuing him after he had started to fall our of a high window. Joe Wheeler always manages to come in at the right moment.

"Your Miss Campbell." whisnered the first she was dreaming of her lever. "I think she was dreaming of her lever. "Nothenne, Jennie; that's all your fanctings every soul in the county attack. The only things left at home or the case and the crickets.

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The dispatches say that Ho-Si-Wu is the largest town between Tien Tsin and Ching Chia Wan. We are glad of it. But we hope that Ho-Si-Wu will have a steady stable growth and avoid booms.

The New England kickers want a gold standard, un-

thom in their worked one aught upon the good name, the war P. Morton in their hall at Indianapoles. By what Il-China is a nation of 400,000,000 people, but it doesn't re-

size an advance on its ancient capital half as fereciously as a tribe of Chayennes formerly resisted the advance of The full blood Creek Indians, south of us, have set up

mit you, that would be ruling the Creeks without wheir

ment of their own. It must not be discussed, for

Againstic would probably come in and surrender if he ware deal sure that he mouthful be hanged. Of course he wouldn't be. He would be dime museumed at once. Every day a new Chinese town with an outlandish name pokes its head out of the dispatches at us and shakes

hands as if it were an obt friend. -Cheer is all right, but too much of it, as shown by the death of the incluse champion Steinitz will the knots in the hussan mind.

## On the Door-Step,

Miss Campbell was from Philadelphia, and she did not approve of sitting out on the front doorsteps. Even on hot August evenings, when every analyse erson on the avenue was out in the air, wooing whatever breezes there to be found, she sat in solitary tate in her stuffy little bedroom or in the boarding-house parlor. It is a serious thing to be a consistent martyr to one's principles.
One day Miss Campbell read in the af-

ternoon paper that the extreme heat had driven fashionable London to its door-leape—that even within the sacred pre-dicts of Mayfair "doorstep parties" were the thing, and that honorable. Al-sermons and Mauds smoked their cigar-ettes and drank their cooling beverages out doors, regardless of the passing crowd. That evening, driven to it by a longing for fresh air, Miss Campbell de-cided to be English. It was a good time for her venture, for she was the only one at home. Most of the bearders had some to the park; the rest were bicying. She had the doorstep to hervelf. Really, it was not so dreadful, after all. The kindly dosk hid all but the light valsts or gowns of the women on the McKinley than he did in 1996. ps opposite, while the men were ditaculshable only by the sparks at the ds of their cigars. With a little thrill self-congratulation Margaret Camp-I realized that no one would know hat she had departed from her princi-

I suppose I am old-fashioned," she thought, "John used to say so when I was only 10, and ten years of lonely life have hardly improved me."

The warm breeze fanned her check. The warm breeze fanned her cheek. She settled herself comfortably back on the custions that she had brought from her room and lazily watched the phantom-like passersby. Troops of laughing girls and boys hurried along the side-walk, followed by lover-like couples, cresping as though to retard happy moments spent together. Bicycles sped st-ently past in the street, their lamps ashing like gigantic fireflys; carriages olled by, heralded by the muffled hoof eats of their horses; and, from time o time, automobiles whizzed by, wierd y. A solitary man came slowly up the street. He stopped at the foot of the steps and then sat down not far from Margaret.

you mind my smoking?" he ask-"Do you mind my smosing?" he assed, barely turning around.

Miss Campbell started: the voice seemed curiously familiar. "Not at all," she replied a little stiffly. "It will keep away the mosquitoes." Then she felt herself lushing at the foolishness of the remark, for there were no fosquitous to be kept away. Ten years ago, one hap-by, never-to-be-forgotten summer, she ad been often asked that question, and ad made the same rejoinder, much more propriately.

The man did not look at her while he ated his cigar, and she, absorbed in ought, missed the brief illumination of his features which followed the kindling of the match. There was a long silence, broken at last by the newcomer. "Rathcooler," said he, as though continuing answered Margaret, still more

oursied by the voice. This was not one of Mrs. Lee's boarders. She must hear alm speak again. It was not right that stranger should make her tremble so. you ever at Long Branch?" she man turned toward her and she

old feel that he tried to penetrate the rkness and see who it was that was caking. Margaret was not the only e who had been agitated by a voice. r heart beat almost audibly. Margaret, is it you?" he cried. Yes. John," she auswered, with

at such a moment. How could she think about how she was speaking when she had not seen him for ten years. "How came you hars?" "I came up the wrong steps," John answered, slowly. "I am glad, since they have brought me to you." wrong steps." John

ought to have been hewlidering-this looked-for appearance of the man who never to return. Yet Margaret took it a matter of course. "If you are glad, why didn't you come efore? I have warred 't know where you were," fal-

Then the other was a mistake?" "All a mistake, dear, and I have come

and they got together and talked, as they used to talk. It was as though they had never been parted. Margaret did not ask for explanations, and John did not Yet she felt that they understood each other.

There was a merry burst of laughter, a confused sound of volces; half a dozen copie around her were talking all at

Why, here's Miss Campbell," cried a

Margaret stood up, dazed. The young

the had appeared suddenly. "Yes, the drove me out, and I am glad that lid, Mr. Young, for an old friend it did. Mr. Young, for an old friend tound me quite by accident. Allow me to introduce him. John—" she locked around, but John was not there.
"You were all alone. Miss Campbell," toundered Mr. Young. "Fast asked and dreaming. I declare."
Miss Campbell pulled herself together nobly. "So I was," said she. "Genternobly, "So I was," said she. "Genternobly, "So I was," said she. "Genternobly, "Republicans stil open their campings with a pole-raising, if Long didn't do a faing to L.P. Campbell, what a pudding Long would followed, with the exception of the two youngest and happiest.

diameter and happiest.

"Poor Miss Campbell" whishered the In some of Long's western Kansas.

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"She is pretty," said Jennie: "she must have had lovers. And she isn't old-who shouldn't she have one new?"
"O. yes," answered Tom Young. "she is pretty and nice enough. But, Jennie, don't let's talk about other people. Did you mean what you said to the A. Velley Falls. Kapans, there is a

Yes," whispered Jannie.

Miss Campbell looked down men the then decided that he ought to have then from her fark window. She wast-od to gots on the spot whete John had her set of the day. This year he will been. She saw Jennie and Tom noting her for McKinley. Unless he should happen to change his mind.

Outlines of Oklahoma,

The bank at Kingfisher had \$12.000

ng around, going through the motions dian, but you would never suspect it from those shirts.

The Orient surveyors are still working in the vicinity of Arapahoe and are unseided as to routes.

Keaton will make speeches during the ampaign for Neff. Keaton is liable to

Shot from the Hardesty Herald: "Canidates in Benver country are too stings

to announce through the papers and are making still hunts." Governor Barnes apparently is losing no sleep over the failure of the conven-tion to indorse him. But Frank Greer

tion to indorse him. But Frank Greer is losing enough for both. A man out at Hardesty has summoned

The mining company which has been organized in the Wichita mountains asks that the Indian agent be enjoined from putting the members of the company

The Indians are catching onto civil-zation. Bilie Harris, an Indian, brought the editor of the Cushing Herald a cou-

The first baby born in Glencoe came under unusual circumstances. The mother was taken from the train and the hild was born in a local botel, all with-

in an hour. It is said that the failure of the bank netitutions than that bank. It is worse than dynamite.

If there is to be war with China ! nese may locate the other end of Guthattack straight up

Cloud Chief claims that young Baker sold his town out. But it seems that ering was a mistake.

Bob Neff will probably claim in his specches that the full-blood Creeks should be allowed to retain that new vernment they have organized, because the consent of the governed must be ob-tained in every case.

Endt Waver In times gone by this writer published a paper thirty-five miles west from Jacob Stotler; now he is editing the Perry Republican and we are forty miles west. He is getting a little further away from us all the time

Everybody will rejoice to learn that Emma Cox, the Oklahoma girl whom the cutlaws compelled to prepare sup-per, will have the chance to get up in point and bear witness against them, ne future outlaws in Oklahoma know enough to be polite.

A mun walked into a dentist's office Cushing recently and asked to have tooth pulled. The dentist yanked and twisted but couldn't move it. "Does it ort?" he asked anxiouesly. an, "go ahead!" Again the den hold and pulled himself cre But the tooth never budged the dentist said: 'I can't pe now; but you come bank tomorrow when I have regained my strength, and I'll pull that tooth out if it's with my last breath, and it shan't cost you a

ing his sorrow, departed. Enid Wave: It has been decided by what is considered good legal authoris 数の様で数の機を繰り機の経路を数の数の数の数の数の数の数の数を数を数を数を数を数を数と数と数と数と will so appear. Two years ago in this county several hundred votes were thrown out as mutilated because the voters had placed a cross to the name of will so appear. ertain candidates on both the Dem agree unanimously on the legality of a vote. If this is true the Republican judges will not agree to count the tickets which the name of Robert Neff based twice. They ruled that way he two years ago, whether it was legal or not. We are of the opinion that the him many votes.

## Along the Kansas Nile.

Minister Conger, who is closed up in Pekin, once lived in Nomaha county. Ed Howe of Atchison is against solos at band concerns. They are a great nu-

George Hoover of Osage county is the latest returned pfigrim from Cape Nome. He says it is a fake.

"De paramount lesue of dis yere cam-pairn," said "Doc" Kelly of Wichita. erday. "am votes," The allied armice marching on Pekin don't fuse naif as well as the Populists and Democrats do in Kansas.

Cy Leland visited the national Republiday and was given the glad hand. The rainless summers in Kansas are note comfortable than the wet ones. We hope the corn will make a note of

nie, don't let's talk about other people
Did you mean what you suid in the
park?"
Yes," whispered Jennie.
At Valley Falls, Kaisan, there is a
park?"
Yes," whispered Jennie.
Also Campbell leoked down upon the
then decided that he ought to have

been She saw Jennie and Tom noring "Love's Young Dream."

"Got syant them a haspier awakening than mine," are murmured, as she crept to bed.—The Chicago Tribune.

Reward for the Bake.

(From the Boston Herald.)

It beins the young Duke of Westminger who ran up the flag over Protocia. In received the clear which had been sent by a gentleman in England several months to serve. Since his except he received the clear which had been sent by a gentleman in England several months to serve. Since his except he received the clear which had been sent by a gentleman in England several months to serve. Since his except he received the clear which had been sent by a gentleman in England several months to serve. Since his except he received the clear which had been sent to be received the clear which had been place, Pretoria. South Afrina." With the right was this language note: Thanks.

Have a cigar." The sender began to fer that he reported to have a cigar. The sender began to for the large place of the thanks and acknowledgement from the roung Duke, faired Government House, anying Lord Boberts had at even given the right to him, and he had inseed to the control of the present that he reported him life a minimaling was the clear to him, and he had now herald, there is a woman without."

"Any lord!" announced the new herald, there is a woman without."

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actimes disease appears to have been dislodged and driven out of the system by unscientific medicine; it may seem to go with apparently wonderful satisfan is liable to come back seven-fold worse than before. A thoroughly scientific remedy like Ripans Tabules acts so assurally upon the system that the entire constitution is fortified against a return of the trouble. There is no re-action; no release; no depressing after effect. The Tabeles relieve the scate symptoms like headache and sour stouach very quickly. The howels are affected only in a regular, natural way,

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